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1. THE EMBASSY IS PARTICULARLY PLEASED TO RESPOND TO REFTEL BY FULLY SUPPORTING THE CONCLUSIONS OF THE JOINT STEERING COMMITTEE OF THE U.S.-JAPAN COOPERATIVE CANCER RESEARCH PROGRAM. CONSIDERING THE RELATIVE YOUTH OF THIS PROGRAM COMPARED TO OTHER COOPERATIVE S&T PROGRAMS BETWEEN THE TWO COUNTRIES, IT HAS ACHIEVED NOTABLE SUCCESSES IN A SCIENTIFIC CONTEXT AND HAS SERVED THE U.S. GOVERNMENT'S POLITICAL INTEREST IN BUILDING AND MAINTAINING STRONG TIES WITH JAPAN. FURTHERMORE, WE ARE UNDER THE DISTINCT IMPRESSION THAT THE CANCER PROGRAM IS CARRIED OUT IN AN ATMOSPHERE OF MUTUAL FRANKNESS, CONFIDENCE, AND RESPECT AND AT AN EQUAL LEVEL OF SCIENTIFIC COMPETENCE, A CONTEXT THAT IS ALWAYS SOUGHT BUT NOT USUALLY ACHIEVED SO QUICKLY AND EFFECTIVELY.

2. WE HAVE NO SUGGESTIONS TO OFFER REGARDING CHANGES TO DRAFT LETTER PARA 9 REFTEL.

3. REQUEST DEPARTMENT PASS TO DRS. FREDRICKSON AND NEWELL THE EMBASSY'S CONGRATULATIONS ON REACHING SUCH
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A SUCCESSFUL CONCLUSION TO THE FIRST FIVE-YEAR PERIOD OF THE PROGRAM AND OUR BEST WISHES FOR ITS EQUALLY PRODUCTIVE CONTINUATION. MANSFIELD

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